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A man who had been working in the country for some time past, says that he had acquired the sum of $80, and came into town to celebrate with it. After sleeping off the effects of a $35 jag he discovered that he had been "rolled" for the other $45, and reported the matter to the police on Thursday morning. So far no arrests have been made

Miss MacBain is the new mistress of the Orange Valley School

Labor Day, Monday, is a public holiday

School opens Tuesday

Mr Chas. Cole, of the Edmonton branch of the Union Bank, is spending a week's holiday here

Mr and Mrs A. Ruppe, Portland, Oregon, parents of Mr H A. Ruppe, arrived here Wednesday, and are spending a month on their son's farm near Tudor. Mr Ruppe jr., has 500 acres of fine grain on his farm this year, and looks for a heavy yield.

Risden Bros. have 100 acres of winter wheat in stook, which promises an excellent yield. They state that they have been raising winter wheat successfully for the past three years. All the winter wheat raised in this district has come through in fine shape

We have received a letter from Mrs Geo. Wells, Secy. of the Calgary Consumers League, which will be published in next issue

Mr. John J. Petrie was in town on Wednesday. He intends to open up a branch of his Calgary law office here shortly.

LOCAL JOTTINGS

This is the best August, from the weather point of view, for the past four years

Mr J. A. V. Kelly, an Australian Government official, delivered a lecture on Australian irrigated lands last Friday evening. The lecturer did not make any comparison between conditions in this country and the sister Dominion, but stated that the reason he was lecturing throughout the West was because his Government had received many inquiries from Canada and the States regarding opportunities for settlement in Australia. Far fields always look green to some people

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Mr Will Knight is now of the opinion that sometimes blessings come in disguise. Last year his crop was completely hailed out, with no insurance. He plowed it under immediately, and he states that he has got a crop on the same ground this year equal to twice last year's prospects as a result.

Mr C. E. Mundi met with a peculiar accident this week, being stung in the eye by a flying ant. He was taken to Calgary Hospital, where he was operated on for the removal of the poison

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist Church will hold an Ice-Cream Social in the basement of the Methodist Church Friday, September 5, commencing at 7.30 p.m. Cream served from 8 p.m. Tables arranged for each month in the year

The storekeepers Wednesday half-holidays are now over for the year

Mr. H. G. Todd, Murray, Neb., father of Mrs W. C. Brown, has been here on a visit during the past week.

Mr. Reg. Henry, after undergoing a successful operation at Calgary General Hospital, where he was for several weeks, returned to Strathmore on Monday feeling much better.

Mr. Chas. Pohl, of the Deutsch-Canadier Job Printing Office, Calgary, was in this vicinity this week duck shooting.

Two thirds of the male population of Strathmore seemed to be out gunning for ducks last Saturday morning, when the season opened. Some good bags were recorded.

Rev. A. Rannie, of Bankview Presbyterian Church, Calgary, former pastor of Strathmore Presbyterian Church, will preach here next Sunday evening.

A daughter was born to Mr and Mrs W. Claude Mitchell on Wednesday.

There seems to be a good opening for a dentist in Strathmore, and we believe that a good practitioner would make a very comfortable living here. There are towns in the West not half the size of Strathmore supporting a dentist.

Mayor and Mrs Lambert visited Risdon Bros. farm on Sunday last and were greatly interested in the crops, and highly pleased at the harvest prospects.

High prices were realised for stock at the sale of Mr John A. McDonald's farm on Wednesday

Mr. H. Lewis, storekeeper for the Irrigation Headquarters C.P.R. here, has resigned to take a ready made farm No. 10 on the Namaka Colony, which he bought recently.

We are in receipt of a letter from Mr. D. F. Boissevain, stating that he did not mean in his former letter that it required the contents of the C.P.R.'s big canal to irrigate Mr Crawford's alfalfa. From his second letter, we are, however, in the dark as to what he did mean to say, or what his object was in penning the first letter. The letter is largely composed of generalities, and we do not consider would be of sufficient interest to our readers to warrant publication. However, if any of them wish to see it they can satisfy themselves by calling at our office,

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Strathmore Loyal Orange Lodge is very active at the present time, and adding considerably to its membership. On Wednesday evening of last week a meeting attended by about thirty of the brethren was held when a deputation from Calgary came down and conferred the Holy Royal Arch Purple Degree on three of the local brethren. The Brethren from Calgary iucluded R. W. Bro. R. V. Campbell, P. G. M.; R. W. Bro. J. Brown, G. L.; Bro. S. Stockwell, C. S.; Bro. J. Patton, 1st L., and Bro. E McCoy, of L. O. L. 1827. After the conferring of the degree felicities were exchanged between the local and the visiting brethren, and best wishes expressed for the continued success of the Order in general, and of the local branch in particular.

Among those registered at the King Edward Hotel this week were C. B. McElroy, Kentucky, who is interested in a large section of land under cultivation near Strathmore; W. S. Gladwin, Ogden, formerly agent for the Riverside Lumber Co in Strathmore; W. E. Payne, Hutchison, Kansas; W. J. Hamilton, San Erancisco; Geo Seeley, and Wesley Shoemaker, South Solon, Ohio; A. O. Hick, London, Ohio; Geo W. Medd and Geo. W. Goddard, Fort Langley, B. C.

Claude Jenkin wishes to announce that he intends taking pupils for piano and organ. If intending pupils will send their names to the office of this paper he will call on them on Friday or Saturday next. 30 8p

Baseball

C. P. R. 6, EMPLOYERS 2

The game played between the Strathmore employers and the C.P.R. on Wednesday resulted in a victory for the railway and irrigation men by 6-2 in a seven innings game. The game was won in the third innings by the C.P.R. men making six runs their score being all in the other innings. Lodmill was in the box for the employers, while Ernest pillheaver for the company up till the last innings, which was taken by Chapman. Eugene Bried umpired.

Following were the teams:

C.P.R.—Driear 3b, Bailey c, Hagen 2b Chapman 1b, Jennings lf, Ernest p, Dodge rf. J.A. MacDonald cf, Arenson ss

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MURRAY MURGATROYD JOURNALIST

By Morice Gerard

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(Continued)

Sir Richard smiled one of those smiles which have less joy in them than many a sigh.

I'm afraid that nothing short of a doctor's certificate would be sufficient to justify absence to-night.

They ate their breakfast in silence each busy with his and her own thoughts. At its conclusion, Maud said—

Cannot you send a telegram?

To whom?

To Mr. Murgatroyd.

I don't exactly like to do so. It was one of the stipulations at the outset, that I should not appear in the matter. He may be landed in some big imbroglio. Telegrams are among the most dangerous and damaging impediments of our present advanced stage of life.

Nevertheless, as the morning wore on, Sir Richard decided to risk it. He worded the telegram indefinitely.

Shall be glad to hear arrival in London. Wire.—Hanley.

The telegram was sent to the Palace. An hour passed; there was no answer. Hanley walked his room restlessly impatient. A second hour dragged its slow length away. Still no reply. Then he determined to wire to the landlord of the hotel at Tormouth.

Is Mr. Murgatroyd staying at the hotel? The answer was prompt. The reply was prompt enough this time.

Mr. Murgatroyd left early this morning.

He was no nearer the solution of his difficulty.

After lunch—a meal on that day to both father and daughter in name only—he ordered his horse. Maud wished to accompany him, but the statesman preferred solitude.

Maud spent the afternoon in her private boudoir, in which she had received Murgatroyd on the night he brought her watch back. The work she had in her fingers was not exacting. There was ample opportunity for thought. Much of it went to Murgatroyd, who had captivated her fancy, and to whom the very anxiety and doubt of the last night had lent a halo of additional interest. She could hardly be said to be in love with him. She was stirred to intense interest; and that sort of interest between a beautiful girl and a handsome man in the maturity of his mental and physical vigor is capable of becoming something deeper—given a reason.

As the day darkened and the lamps were lighted, Maud had a curious revulsion of feeling. The wave of doubt disappeared; the tension of the night was removed. Her father came in to tea with a haggard face, and she met him with a cheerfulness which was not feigned.

Something tells me, dad it is all right. You will come out triumphant, as you always have done before, this time will be only an ugly dream.

I know it; I feel it.

I wish I could too.

Nevertheless he took his tea more brightly, and afterwards talked on other subjects, especially Maud's presentation by the Duchess of Shropshire on the following Thursday. Although her dress was ready, and in the house, he had not seen it.

Should she go and put it on? Her father pinched her cheek.

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HANDS COVERED WITH ECZEMA

Anse du Cap, Quebec.—"About one year ago my daughter had her hands covered with eczema. It broke out in a rash. She was unable to put her hands in water and she used to scratch them until they were red and inflamed and crusted and used to bleed. She was unable to sleep by spells from the pain and burning. As tried several remedies without receiving any relief. After she began washing with Cuticura Soap and applying Cuticura Ointment she got relief at once and after ten days' treatment was entirely cured.

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I'm afraid I shall not prove a sound critic, but—I should like to see you.

So Maud went.

When she returned he could hardly believe his eyes.

Why, little girl, you do look—stunning. There! there's no occasion for it. What a lot of admiration you will get! The daughter of poor Sir Richard Hanley, he added grimly.

They won't say that, said Maud, then, after a pause, I am not sure of the admiration—and she thought of Murgatroyd.

Why, Murgatroyd might have written or inspired it himself.

And he was bearing the mark than he knew.

CHAPTER XI.

Run to Earth

At twenty minutes past nine there was a single knock at No. 34, in the Tavistock Hotel. It was the private sitting-room occupied by Mr. Hanley, who was having his after-dinner cigar, with a magnum of Leoville, a favorite claret of his, before him. He had barely time to say: Come in, expecting to see the waiter, when Murray Murgatroyd entered.

Muller glanced at the new-comer with his usual cocky leer, and then dinging the cigar into the fire, half-smoked, sprang to his feet. For a moment Muller was absolutely speechless. He read in the face of the journalist that a battle royal was to begin without any buttons on the foils.

The two men stood facing one another, half a dozen paces apart, with only the corner of the table between them. They were not billed in height and breadth of shoulders, but Muller carried more flesh, and was the older man by an appreciable number of years. Intellectually, they were both singularly capable antagonists.

Muller was the first to speak.

This is an intrusion, sir; an unwarranted intrusion. If you have come again about those papers, my answer is the same as before. It has not changed one whit. You shan't have them, sir; more than that, if you do not quit this room at once, I summon the proprietor of this hotel ventured to call it, instantly, I will have you turned out; and Muller advanced a step as if about to put the threat into personal application.

Meantime Murgatroyd's quick eye had been taking in the apartment. His principal apprehension all along had been lest Muller had deposited the papers and the torchlight plans and maps elsewhere during that evening. He did not fear the result if the documents had not been put beyond his reach. Murgatroyd's eye lightened when he saw on a little table by the window a small dispatch box, which had evidently been brought taken out of the portmanteau; for by its side was a traveling writing-case. On the dispatch box was clearly written to a perceptive imagination: Private documents, inquire within. Murgatroyd felt moved to inquire within. The proof was all the clearer to his mind by the fact that when Muller spoke of papers his glance involuntarily rested for a second on the dispatch box, which was at right angles, about an equal distance from each of them.

I shall not go, said Murgatroyd, until I have said what I have to say. Neither will you turn me out even of this apartment by force. The tones were quiet, but very determined. He laid a half-sarcastic emphasis on the last two words.

We will see about that, exclaimed Muller, hotly. He was about to step towards the bell, which was an electric button on one side of the fire-place. He kept his eyes on Murgatroyd, although turning half from him.

I think you had better leave me out. A touch of that bell will not bring the person you expect, but only a one quite different, whom you do not expect.

Muller paused! There was something in the other's tone which convinced him in spite of himself.

I do not understand you, sir. You have forced yourself into my private room; I order you to go out; I don't want you; I have heard what you have to say before. Once for all, I hate you and your country.

I am quite aware of that, interposed Murgatroyd, with still more sarcastic infliction of the voice.

If you do not go out of the room, I will have you chucked out of the hotel. If no one else does, I will do it myself.

I don't think you will—not if you are wise.

What is the meaning of this humor? If I ring this bell, of course the servant who attends to this room will come.

On the contrary.

I am not imagining now.

Muller flung out an oath. He had flushed fiery red to his temples, the color showing wine-deep through his blonde skin.

Say what you mean, sir, and have done with it. Who would come, pray?

A gentleman who ought to be standing here in my stead, if I were not—for reasons of my own, I confess, only connected with philanthropy, or even love of you—so lenient towards you.

Muller strode forward, until the two men were within arm's length of one another.

Murgatroyd did not give an inch. Muller glared at him, out he took no notice, only showing by the firm set of his mouth, and the hard look of his eyes, that the tension of his self-command was great.

You really give yourself away too airily. You might so easily have made me think it was special regard for myself which clothed you with this rare clemency. Perhaps after this long introduction you will condescend to enlighten me a little more. First, as to your presence here, unbidden, and certainly unwanted; secondly, as to this mysterious individual, who soon remarkably like thunder, storming to the uninitiated, but not dangerous. All this mystery would be highly interesting in a novel, but seems a trifle out of place in real life.

(To be Continued)

Heligoland Cement Island

Heligoland, the tiny island in the North Sea, which Germany proposes to turn into a great station for its airships, is one of the most curious islands in the world.

Its towering cliffs, for instance, are largely artificial. Some years ago there was grave fear that the island, which was steadily growing smaller from the effects of the waves, would by the waves from the southwest. But five million dollars has been spent on raising a massive cliff of granite on the exposed side.

Then, at the top of the coast where the red, porous rock of the genuine cliff is not yet allowed to be tinged by the seas, hundreds of thousands of tons of cement have been used to strengthen the fissures.

Heligoland has long been an important naval station. It is protected by the most powerful guns, and is said to be prepared for a siege lasting three years. It is, indeed, the North Sea storehouse of the German fleet. Visitors are only allowed in the tiny port the high plateau that forms the rest of the island being carefully guarded from the public.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Doing as you please sounds fascinating, but it doesn't take into account the bill for damages.

Near It

I found one better than man.
Was he in the poorhouse?
No.
Where, then?
On the way to it.

Etymological Dispute

A chelonygar is a sort of bureau.
Not by a right of a long shot. It's a man what drives an auto.

If you were as strong, proportionately, as the beetle is, and were a man weighing a couple of hundred pounds, you would be able to lift with ease 3,000 pounds. For a beetle can lift a weight that is many times its own weight.

Or you could jump about with the same ease as the grasshopper you could spring over the tallest building in the city at one bound, without much effort.

Or, again, if you wanted to be nearly as strong as the bee you would have to do it after you a load weighing 1,000 pounds.

It seems, apparently, from such observations as these that the smaller the greater in size the animal the greater is the muscular energy, needed to support it, and the smaller is not much left for outside force.

Beauty is only skin deep. A girl may have teeth, like pearls, and be as clumsy as a hippo.

Do you have your shirts done up at a laundry? asked Brown. I do, replied Robinson, and it requires only a single button and buttons do them up very exhaustively.

Makes a Difference

His wife is always on a visit.
Is she? Why don't she come back?
I should say he was.
I didn't suppose he was getting his own meals.

Some persons are so unlucky that they always get the seat in the car next to the large lady who has been eating onions.

It is har.. to make some people understand that what is yours isn't all theirs, though they may think that any disagreeable to them may be odious to you.

Don't find fault. If you must work off your nerves, just get some sharp tongued person started on the subject you want to see ventilated.

Don't feel hurt if somebody else does your work better than you do it and gets your job if you don't properly attend to it yourself.

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A Way Some People Have

A doctor said:

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Experiment until you know the amount that pleases your palate and have it served that way in the future.

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GAS GOING TO WASTE

Flow of More than Four Million Feet Daily is Reported from Near Pelican

For 14 years 4,000,000 feet of combustible gas a day has been escaping from the great gas well at Pelican Portage, about 170 miles in a direct line northeast from Edmonton.

The present flow of gas in the well was struck in October, 1898, at depth of 675 feet. An attempt to cap the well was made three years ago but failed, the tremendous pressure blowing off the valve. Oil drillers use all the gas they need, and the remainder necessarily goes to waste.

Glen C. Foster, one of a party of newspaper men, who made a trip of inspection to the gas well, has this to say concerning it:

Up there they go to bed by gas, sleep by gas, get up to gas and work by gas. Gas piped part way up the hill where they are drilling furnished heat for a 40 horse power boiler. This boiler in turn supplies steam power that keeps the oil drills going 24 hours a day and generates electricity for all the buildings and tents in connection with the oil camps.

We lay down with the noisy gush of the escaping gas close to us and with our beds in a semi-circle to the flame that shoots right into the air, we read books and though it was a bitterly cold night the air about was balmy as a tropical night.

In all these years there has been no diminution of the flow from the natural gas gusher at Pelican. Three years ago a government test with a pilot tube got a reserve of 600 pounds per inch. On September, 27 a hydraulic gauge was put on and showed a pressure of 450 pounds per inch.

According to experts, who viewed the Medicine Hat field and the fields in California, the Pelican fields' flow will continue to flow until such time as the body of gas below which generates gas has been exhausted. Though the cold in the winter regions at times be tense, the temperature dropping as low as 60 below zero—at which point petroleum freezes—the gas has never been affected.

The Carpenter's Revenge

A carpenter, sent to make some repairs in a private house, entered the apartment of the lady of the house, and while his apprentice began to work

Mary, the lady said to her maid, see that my jewel case is locked up in safe.

The carpenter understood. He repeated the words and rose from his seat, with a significant air, and gave them to his apprentice. John, he said, take these tools back to the shop. It seems that this house isn't safe.

Mrs. Groggins has just been here bragging about how long she keeps her boarders.

Ah! She keeps them so thin that they look longer than they really are.

Mrs. Subbubs (entering husband's office)—I ran into town today to do some shopping, dear, and I—

Subbubs—Then and you ran in here because you ran out of money. Well, how much?

Explained

Pa, what is meant by the sins of omission and of commission?

Those that are committed by a commission house, I guess.

The only thing that some men won't take is a chance at hard work.

Most men regret that they have been civilized beyond the point of taking their pie in their fingers.

Some people wouldn't be satisfied with a chance to go to heaven unless they were furnished with a return ticket.

Soft corn, are difficult to eradicate, but Holloway's Corn Cures will draw them out painlessly.

Some men were born grandfathers, and their small sons have a tough time.

If we were given credit for trying to be good none of us would still have to pay cash.

When a man insists he has all the money he wants his friends begin to consider a lonely commission.

The presidential race is no beauty contest.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows

Wanted the Excitement

They are going to elope.
The gentle way?
They are afraid their parents might consent to a quiet home wedding if they were to ask them.

Changed Them Around

She sings all the popular songs of the day.
Popular?
That is what I said.
Not when she sings them.

The Way it Goes

Do you believe in bad luck?
Not when it happens to the other fellow.
Why not?
It looks so much like foolishness and pighededness then.

So So What's the Use?

The world owes me a living.
That may be, but you can't prove it.

Turkey thinks it is about time to realize its hope that somebody will come along and lift the mortgage from the old homestead.

Sounds From a Raintow

It seems incredible that a beam of light could be made to produce sound, but such a thing can be done. A ray of sunlight is thrown through a lens on a glass vessel containing lampblack, colored silk or worsted, or any like substance. A disk having slits or openings cut in it is made to revolve swiftly in this beam of light, so as to cut it up, thus causing alternate flashes of light and shadow. When one places his ear to the glass vessel he can hear strange sounds so long as the flashing beam falls upon the vessel.

A still more extraordinary effect is produced when the beam of sunlight is made to pass through a prism, so as to produce what is called the solar spectrum. This disk is turned and the colored light of the rainbow is made to break through it. Now, if the ear be placed close to the vessel containing the silk or other material, as the colored lights of the spectrum fall upon it, various sounds will be heard for different parts of the spectrum, and one will be able to hear other parts.

For example, if the vessel contains red worsted and the green light flashes upon it, then a certain note is given out. Only feeble sounds will be heard when the violet or blue parts of the rainbow fall upon the vessel. Other colors produce no sounds at all.

Green silk gives out sound best in red light. Every kind of material gives more or less sound in different colors and no sound at all in others.

The Jar of the Owl

It is held by naturalists that, in order to capture their prey, owls must depend even more upon its sense of hearing than upon that of sight. The orbs of feathers are distinguished for short-eared and the long-eared owls are, of course, no more ears than they are horns.

The true ear of the owl is a most remarkable organ.

The facial disk of feathers that gives the owl its wise appearance, and once serves as a kind of sounding board or ear-trumpet to concentrate a presence of sound upon the ears, them to the orifice of the true ear, which is hidden from view by the facial disk of the ear is covered by a remarkable fold in the skin. In the case of the species there are striking differences in the size and shape of this orifice of the ear. The barn owl has the largest.

The most way in which owls utilize this elaborately specialized apparatus has still to be discovered.

Keeping in Italy

Till a few years ago Italians were among the most temperate peoples in Europe; but with the growth of wealth and social luxury an enormous development has been witnessed in the drink habit.

The marked increase in direct crime and insanity due to the abuse of intoxicants has caused the strengthening of the Government, and a Bill for checking the evil has been introduced in the Chamber of Deputies, by the office sale of liquor to children and adolescents under the age of 16, in every 500 inhabitants in the smaller towns, and one for every 500 citizens in the larger ones. The latest figures show one street bar for every hundred inhabitants.

He Smiled and Got the Limit

A young man from Pittsburgh, charged with driving his motor about the streets of Allegheny at twice the speed limit, smiled when he was arraigned before the judge. Presumably the smile was a token of his admiration and to break the news to his family. He was fined $10 and costs in the matter, and that conviction meant imprisonment. Odd, isn't it, that those Southern gentlemen who are jocularly when a man gets a little jingle in his head, should be so hot on the pie in a city? Don't they know that boys will be boys?

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, } ss.
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Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Diner—I say, waiter, isn't there some soup on this bill of fare?

Waiter—Yes, sir. There was, but I wiped it off.

Between Two Fires

I can't afford to marry her and keep a cook.
You can't afford to marry her and not keep one.

Reason for it

Marie—Fred says it will take me all season to learn how to swim.
Daisy—Who is teaching you?
Marie—Fred.

Proud Father—My Willie is a musical rascal. Just now, as I held him over my knees in front of the fire and gave him a beating, he reached out and played an accompaniment.

Its Equal

I don't know anything more idiotic than the way women follow freak fashions.
Don't you?
No.
Why not?
What?
The comments men make about it.

Why He Wasn't

Are you superstitious?
Not a bit. I always think bad luck comes to superstitious people.

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Unwed at 101

Miss Mary Theatin is apparently the oldest unmarried woman in all the world. She lives in Denver, Colo., and not long ago celebrated her 101st birthday.

Really she is a most wonderful woman, according to the reports of her friends and relations. She claims power to have been sick all her life, and furthermore, having lived in single bliss all her life, vigorously insists that she never regretted it.

Evidently she is of the opinion that unmarried women are just as happy as married ones—that, in fact the unattached women are likely to get a great deal more out of life, for they are not as apt to spend their days bowed down to domestic duties and labors.

Miss Theatin is still perfectly healthy and expects to continue so to enjoy a number of more years in the cheerful state.

A Remedy for Bilious Headache.

To those subject to bilious headache Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are recommended as the very best relief. Taken according to directions they will subdue irregularities of the stomach and so act upon the nerves and blood vessels that the pains in the head will cease. There are no pills that are not at sometime subject to biliousness and fa illiar with its attendant evils. Yet none need suffer with these pills at hand.

How to Save Your Tires

A tire manufacturing company gives this advice about the care of motor cars. tires:

The idea seems universal among motor car owners that the tire cost of their equipment far exceeds all other items that they have to do with it. It is true that the tire cost must necessarily be greater than any other cost of running connected with the machine but is far from necessary that the cost shall be such a terrific tax to the other expenses as is generally the case to-day.

This is especially true where pneumatic tires are used. These tires were designed to be the maximum loads for which they were designed, if they have been inflated always to the pressure called for by the tire manufacturer, if they were not run in ruts, if they were properly and quickly repaired when damaged, and if they were run on wheels which did not increase their cost of upkeep would be cut ½ half.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper

One of the reasons why English is expected to become a world language is that English people delight to learn another. A correspondent sends the following example: Museum, at the entrance to he Perelan Gulf, there lived for many years an Englishman, supposed to be the only, or almost the only British resident on the 1,500 miles of Persian coastline from Bushire to Kowett. It would seem that he could hardly have escaped knowing that a land he confessed that he could not speak a dozen words of local tongue.

But how do you carry on your trade some one asked.

Oh, replied the beggars have to learn English.

Oh, that my son should wash to marry an actress! shrieked the proud mother. Now, now, don't take so, urged the undutiful heir. She isn't really an actress; she only thinks she is.

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I am looking for the man who runs this office.

He is out just now.

But I have a big deal I want to put over.

You might see the office boy.

Old Mac (who has been chased by a bull and only just scrambled over a fence)—Confound you, infernal, ungrateful beast! An' me been a vegetrian all my life!

Well dear, I guess the honeymoon is over.

Why do you say that? pouted the bride.

I have been taking stock and I find that I am down to $2.65.

Speakin of that fish you caught, what about it?

I notice you modify its size to your various listeners.

Well, I'll tell a man more than I think he'll believe.

Woman Is As Old As She Looks

No woman wants to look old. Many in their effort to look youthful resort to the beauty doctor's prescription. Their mistake is that they visit the wrong department in the drug store.

Nervousness, sleeplessness, backache, pains, dizziness, irregularities and weaknesses of a distinctly feminine character in a short time bring the dreaded look "I feel," the haggard look, drooping shoulders, and the faltering step.

If you would look young you must retain health. Instead of lotions, powders and paints, ask your druggist for

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This famous medicine strikes at the very root of these enemies of your youthful appearance. It makes you not only look young, but feel young.

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Our Funny Children

Little Ralph, an only child c. four, 1.d been permitted to stay up one evening when his parents had company. At the table he made a quaint remark, at which all the guests laughed. He instantly saw that he had made a hit, and with commendable enterprise sought to follow it up.

Dad, he shouted, what was that other smart thing I said yesterday?

Requisite Knowledge

As a country physician was driving through a village he saw a man amusing a crowd with the antics of his trick dog. The doctor pulled up and said:

My dear man, how do you manage to train your dog like that? I can't teach mine a single trick.

The man looked up with a simple rustic look, and replied:

Well, you see, it's this way: you have to know mon's the dog or you can't learn him nothin'.

His Obvious Destiny

That boy of yours whistles the 'Lovesick Sparrow Waltz' very correctly.

Oh, he's a wonder. He remembers every tune he hears.

Then he'll make a fortune as a comic opera composer some day.

Careless Cupid

Bessie—Oh, Mabel! I am in an awful dilemma! I have quarrelled with Harry and he wants me to send his ring back.

Mabel—That's too bad.

Bessie—But that isn't the point. I have forgotten which is his ring.

Posted

You women never keep posted on current events.

Why, yes we do. I read all about the finding of the Pole. But John?

Well?

How did the Pole happen to be lost?

A Strange Fowl

A southern farmer thought he heard someone breaking into his chicken house. Going to investigate, he called out:

Is anyone in there?

No, mass, answered a bass voice; nobody but jus' us chickens!

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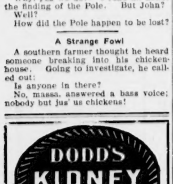

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The Coming Maude

Maude Muller, one day, eating fudge,
Looked up and saw the county judge.

Maude was a pretty girl, all right—
His honor fell in love at sight.

And, when about a month had fled,
Maude promised that the judge she'd wed.

Then o'er the judge's pathway came
A wealthy, proud and stately dame.

An ancient suffragette was Maude,
Chairwoman o' the county board.

I'll get square, Maude said without fail
So told the party her sad tale.

Judge had elected been in fall;
In spring they voted his recall.

The haughty dame refused to wed,
You are no longer judge, she said.

This lesson sad he learned, you bet;
Don't monkey with a suffragette!

In Ca ual Water

Mr. Brown took a day off, and went down into the country to fish. He found a promising pond, and fished for three hours without getting a single bite.

A little farmer boy watched him most of the time. Finally, when Brown's patience was exhausted, he said querulously to the boy: Are there any fish in this pond at all?

If there are any, the boy answered, they must be awful small, sir; for there wasn't any water at all here until it rained yesterday.

Callahan—O want to git a book to put th' photographs av all of me relatives in.

Oi think this war will do.

Shopman—But that isn't a family album, sir; that is a scrapbook.

Callahan—Oh, that's all right, young man; all av me relatives were scrappers.

The Englishman had been boasting about the way they did things across the pond.

Then the new Englander thought he'd have a whack.

Talking about justice being meted out quickly, he said, only yesterday an airman over here fell out of his aeroplane, and he was tried and sentenced to six months' in jail before he hit the ground.

You don't say so! drawled the Englishman. What was the charge?

Vagrancy, replied the Yankee. He had no visible means of support.

Broad—By the way, old man, do you remember borrowing ten shillings from me six months ago?

Borr—Yes.

Broad—But you said you only want it for a short time.

Short—And I told the truth. didn't keep it two nty minutes

Excitement is oftentimes the cause of queer remarks as well as the cause of strange telegrams.

A man who had been one of the passengers on a vessel which had been widely circulated as lost was rescued by a miracle. On arrivin at a place from which he could send a telegram he forwarded the following despatch to his partner:

I am saved. Try to break it gently to my wife.

Intelligent Cholile

Cholile had decided to give up the sporting life and settle down to farming, and was now buying a cow.

That's a fine cow, said the agent, that I can highly recommend to you. She has won several prizes at our county fair, and—

Reahlly? said Cholile, looking the animal over admiringly. Er—rotting or steeplechase?

Snubbed

Several medical men and a newspaper man were visiting an insane asylum. The employee who was showing them about pointed out a man who considered himself the Lord.

The newspaper man, true to his instincts, seeking to have an interview asked the insane one whether he really made the earth in seven days.

The latter gave him a look of utter contempt, and said as he passed on: I am not in the mood to talk shop!

Timely Warning

You'd better eat it like a man, said Willie to the clergyman who was dining with the family. Mamma never gives more'n one piece of pie.

Retort That Bit

I'm sorry I ever married you! shrieked the bride, on the occasion of their first quarrel.

You ought to be! retorted the groom really angry and bitter for the first time. You beat some nice girl out of a good husband!

What makes you carry that horrible shriek machine for an automobile sir?

For humane reasons, replied Mr. Chugins. If I can paralyze a person with fear, he will keep still and I can run to one side of him.

An enthusiastic fisherman was telling some friends about a proposed fishing trip to a lake in Colorado he had in contemplation.

Are there any trout out there? asked one friend.

Thousands of 'em.

Will they bite easily?

Will they? Why, they are absolutely vicious. A man has to hide behind a tree to bait a hook.

Traveler—Shall I have time to get a drink?

Conductor—Yes, sir.

Traveler—Can you give me a guarantee that the train won't start?

Conductor—Yes, I'll take one with you!

Bennie, aged four, met Henry, aged five, and the following conversation ensued:

Whatsamatter your head?

Bumped it on a ceiling.

Ona stepladder?

No. I was playin' 'ith my papa one floor an' I was sitting on his tummy. An' nen what'l

Papa sneezed.

AN U..SUAL ACTIVITY

President of Eddy Company Takes Cheerful View of Business Situation

Mr. W. H. Rowley, president of the E. B. Eddy Company, with twenty-five or more branches in Canada, with resident agents in every large city from Halifax to Victoria, and with sixteen or eighteen thousand customers and correspondents in this country, takes a very cheerful view of the business situation.

Mr. Rowley told The World yesterday that their business throughout Canada was better during the first half of 1913 than for the same period of 1912, that is, sales were greater, although profits are less. Larger sales show increased consumption, smaller profits indicate greater cost of material, higher wages and cut prices by senseless rivalry.

The chief channel of the distribution of Eddy's wares is through the wholesale grocery and jobbing trades. Until a few weeks ago, buying was done with great caution and only for immediate needs; now, however, there is less feeling of anxiety that earlier in the year, and since the middle of June business is flowing more freely and goods are more in demand.

Correspondence from every city in Canada shows that unionism in all lines is becoming stronger and healthier. The "hand to mouth" buying of a few weeks ago is succeeded by unusual midsummer activity because the wholesaler knows he can get now, from retailer's shelves were bare, but now there is a better, surer and more easy feeling among buyers and the necessities of life, such as matches, biscuits, tubs, paper bags and paper of all kinds are in good demand for daily use.

Mr. Rowley said: "The majority of the orders received at the works to-day for a month past are marked 'rush,' 'hurry,' 'S.a.p.' while nearly every order calls for quick delivery, and this while the demand for goods, the lack of supplies and material, high wages and cost of making will keep the price firmer. I expect to see higher lists on many lines and an end put to cut prices, although we have to do not vary very much, taking one year with another.—The Toronto World.

A Bouquet

A poetical old shopkeeper was always fond of writing and saying lovely ones. One spring he was having his shop painted. He told the painter to leave a certain corner untouch d for the time being; he explained that the young people of that second old shelf their courting there and he didn't want them to get smudged.

But, objected the painter, these young folks would be fools not to take the smell of fresh paint.

Young fellow, said the old shopkeeper, you have never had a girl, that's plain. If you had, you'd know that when folks are in love everything—we—just—is—perfumed—smells like violets and roses.

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I could not start on a voyage without it, if it cost a dollar a bottle.

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One for Mathematician

A noted mathematician, considered by many a wonder, stopped at a hotel in a small town while on his travels. There were a number of travelers staying there and there was also a gathering of medical men. One of the doctors thought it would be a joke to tell the visiting mathematician some of the M.D.'s had decided to kidnap him and take out his brains to learn how it was he was so clever in mathematics. He was then asked by them what he was going to do about it. He replied: Why, I shall simply go on without brains just as you doctors are doing.

Nothing Extraordinary

An American tourist in England was out sightseeing. They took him aboard the old battleship Victory, Nelson's flagship. An English sailor escorties the American over the vessel, and coming to a rusty brass tablet on the deck he said, as he reverently removed his hat:

Here, sir, is the spot where Lord Nelson fell.

Oh, is it? replied the American kindly. Well, that is not surprising. I nearly tripped over the darned thing myself.

Unwarranted Pride

Professor (coming from his club, holding up his umbrella to his wife) —You see, I haven't forgotten to take my umbrella.

Mrs. Professor—But my dear, you didn't take your umbrella with you; you left it at Lome.

Lady Visitor—That new girl of yours seems very nice and quiet, Mistress—Yes, she's very quiet. She doesn't even disturb the dust when she is cleaning the room.

One Exception

Grandfather (to small boy who is returning to school)—Now, my boy, I hope you shall have a better report than you next term. The last wasn't at all satisfactory—last in your exams—last in the term marks—in fact, last in everything.

Indignant Small Boy—Not last in everything, grandfather; I was top in age.

The Boy—What does arbitration mean?

Teacher—It means that when two powers of equal strength get hold of a smaller country they agree to divide it equally.

Distressed Damsel — O, sir, catch that man! He wanted to kiss me!

Pensive Pedestrian — That's all right. There'll be another one along in a minute.

Every Farm Should Have a Poultry Yard

Fred E. Elford, Dominion inspector of poultry farms, mentioned some interesting facts in regard to the profitable side to the farmer of turning his attention to the subject of poultry raising in the prairie provinces when on a recent visit to the city.

In all the government experimental farms, he said, in the near future, a poultry establishment is to be created.

In certain districts in Alberta where for reasons outside the control of the farmers, their crops failed, they will at a total loss.

Chickens can stand the rigors of the winter excellently, and Mr. Elford mentioned that in the coldest parts of Saskatchewan the fronts of the chicken houses in the most successful farms were only provided with ordinary factory cotton instead of woodwork, and the birds did not seem to suffer in any way.

Speaking of the most suitable breeds for the prairie provinces, Mr. Elford said that in his opinion all the American breeds which cross with the Plymouth Rock and Red Wyandotte were most satisfactory.

The crops reared artificially were without a single loss this year, and the danger from the prairie wolf can be obviated to a great extent by having a collie dog trained to protect them.

Won the Wager

At a certain club the other day two members were arguing about will power. The conceited man, who was the habit o. boring all present with his pointless tales, said that his will power was greater than that of his friend.

You are wrong there, said the quiet man, and I will prove it in this way. You go and stand in that corner and I will will you to come out of it. You will against me, and I'll wager I will have you from that corner before I have commanded you a second time.

And the smart one took up the challenge and put himself in the corner. The other man said, in a commanding voice:

Come out of that corner.

The other grinned and shook his head. The quiet man sat down and looked at him steadily. Five minutes passed, and then the man of will said, with a sneer.

Bobby, you better give it up! I don't feel any influence at all, and I can't stand here all the evening.

There is no hurry, said the quiet man, and I have a very comfortable chair. There is no limit, except that you are to come out before I ask you twice, and as I don't intend to ask you again until this day week, I think you'll soon begin to feel the influence.

The smart man came out.

Clories of Places

Three great advantages which the paper manufacturers say they find in Alaska are abundant supplies of timber, cheap hydro-electric power and the tidewater transportation—all of these in one and the same locality. Areas offering these attractions adjoin deep water and it is probable that plants will be so located that ocean freighters can be loaded right at the mill door. A cutting period of twenty years will be allowed, with twenty years additional for reforestation work. The prices may be adjusted at five year intervals to take care of possible advances in production.

A subterranean river in the island of Panawan, one of the Philippines, has been explored and surveyed by two officers of the United States coast and geodetic survey. The river is navigable for a small boat for about two and a half miles from its mouth. The newspaper man, true to his instincts, seeking to have an interview asked the insane one whether he really made the earth in seven days.

The latter gave him a look of utter contempt, and said as he passed on: I am not in the mood to talk shop!

At the Supper Table

The young man who had taken the debutante in to dinner was talking art.

Are you fon l of etchings? he asked, as a general rule, yes, she answered, looking up into his eyes with an engaging frankness that threatened havoc to his heart; but, she added hastily, as he started to say something prett., not my tonight, thank you. It is rather late. A small piece of jelly will be sufficient.

The next person who interrupts the proceedings, said the judge sternly, will be expelled from the court at once.

Hooray! cried the prisoner.

Then the judge pondered.

The wolves were upon us, he related to the girl he was trying to impress. Their howling penetrated to our very marrow. We fled for our lives. But each second we knew that the ravenous pack was gaining on us. Closer, closer—at last they were so close that we could feel their muzzles against our legs, s. that—

Ah, sighed the lady, greatly relieved. How glad you must have been that they had their muzzles on!

What May be Expected

Chug, chug! Br-r-r, B-r-r! Honk, honk! Zip, zip!

The pedestrian paused at the intersection of two busy thoroughfares. He saw a car making at him from one side, a motor-cycle on the other, a motor lorry in the rear, and a taxicab threatened hi. whatever buttons.

Zinging! He looked up, and saw a runaway aeroplane is rapid descent. There was but one chance. He was standing on a manhole-cover. Quickly seizing it he lifted the lid and jumped into the hole, but alas! only to be run over by a tu. train.

Good-bye to Asthma.

Persons suffering from that extremely tying trouble known as asthma know what it is to long with t!l their hearts for escape as from a tyrant. Never do they know when an attack may come and they know that to struggle unaided is vain. With Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy at hand, however, they can say good-bye to their enemy and enjoy life again. It helps at once.

The Cautious Scot

A Scotchman went to a solicitor, laid before him a question and asked him if he could undertake the case, reports the Birmingham Weekly Post.

Certainly, replied the solicitor, I will readily undertake the case. We are sure to win.

So ye really think it's a good case? Most decidedly, my dear sir. I am prepared to guarantee that you will secure a favorable verdict.

Ah, well, I'm much obliged tae ye, but I dinna think I'll go tae law this time, for ye see the case I've laid before ye is my opponent's.

The Malden's Prayer

The Lord helps him who helps himself.

Snatching another kiss, he cried, A footfall sounded on the stair.

Ah, the Lord help you! the maiden sighed.

An Exception

So they married in haste. Then I suppose, following out the proverb they repented at leisure.

No: they repented in haste, sold.

Not Guilty

Mistress—Bridget, whatever become of the cutlery? I am continually missing some. Really, I suspect the dustmen as they come through the scullery.

Cook—Faith, marm, ye're wrong there entirely. They're too honest at all. Why, they brought back thray knolves last week that they'd found in t.e dustbin.

Cure for a Good Lawyer

Why are you so sad? an acquaintance asked a young man whose aunt had just died. You never appeared to care much for the poor lady.

I didn't said the youth dolefully; but I was the means of keeping her in a lunatic asylum during the last five years of her life. She has left me all her money, and now I have got to prove that she was of sound mind.

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Caught

Pa!aw! exclaimed Miss Yerner impatiently, I am sure we will miss the first act. We have waited a good many minutes for that mother of mine.

Hours, I should say, Mr. Slowman retorted crushly.

Ours? Oh, George! she cried, and laid her blushing cheek upon his shirt front.

Willie said the teacher, is there any difference between the words sufficient an. enough?

Yes, ma'am, replied Willie. Sufficient is when mama thinks I have eaten enough pie, and enough is when I think I have eaten sufficient.

He Knew One

Some adjectives, said the teacher, are made from nouns, such as danger one, meaning full of danger, and hazardous, ful. of hazard. Can any boy give me another example?

Yes, sir; replied the fat pie at the end of the form: pious, full of pie.

Smith—Jones seems to have no thought for anything except his clothes.

Brown—Yes, he is perfectly wrapped in them.

Since time i: not a person we can overtake when he is past, let us honor him with mirth and cheerfulness while he is passing.

Things Have Changed

I remember, I remember,
But those days have long gone by
That you were considered brutal
If you killed a harmless fly.

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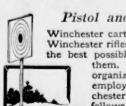

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Brown—What did your wife say about your being so late home the other night?

Jones—Nothing at all. She just sat down at the piano and played Tell me the Old, Old Story.

When he comes soft soaping around with an ax to grind just suggest to him that he get a motor attachment for his jaw and do the whole job himself.

Mark Twain was in a restaurant one day and found himself next to two young men who were putting on a great many airs and ordering the most expensive meals. The waiters about in a most impressive fashion. One of them gave an order and told the waiter to inform the cook whom it was for. Yes, said the other, better tell him my name, so as to make certain of its being all right.

Mark, who hated swagger, called the waiter and said in a loud voice: Bring me a dozen oysters and whisper my name in each of them.

Mrs. Shortley was discussing the latest fashions with a young lady caller.

Did you say your husband was fond of those clinging gowns, Mac? .

Yes; he likes one to cling to me for about three years.

There is a deal of difference between being useful and being used.

Weary

Why, Willie, said his mother, you haven't prayed for papa and mamma and grandpa tonight.

No, and I ain't goin' to any more, either. Why should all the prayin' for this family have to be done by me?

Am I the first man you have loved this season? asked the hotel clerk. Always answered the summer girl.

Who got ahead of me? You have only been here an hour.

I had a slight flirtation with the driver of the bus, as we came from the station.

Show Girl (bursting into manager's office)—Quick! There's a fire behind the scenes, the gang is rushing about like mad and screaming their heads off. Looks like a panic. What will we do?

Manager—Do? Ring up the curtain, of course, and let the audience think it is the opening chorus.

Richard Mansfield, the .ctor, had not much hair, and this fact was commented on to the actor by a lady whose friendship permitted personal allusions.

Mr. Mansfield, said the lady, you are losing your hair all the time. You'll be bald if this keeps on.

Keeps on, madam? queried the actor, putting his hand on what remained of his hair. My daily prayer is that this will keep on.

Lawyer—Don't you think I acquitted myself well in that trial?

Friend—Very well. It is a pity you didn't do as much for your client.

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 30, 1913.

The Barley Market

The price of barley during the past two years has been a sore point for farmers throughout the province. For several years farmers have been advised from various sources to go in for barley growing, it being claimed that there was an excellent market for all the barley that could be produced, and every fall the price has been low, and it has paid farmers generally to feed their barley rather than sell it.

This year it looks as if the barley crop is going to be the best ever harvested in this district, and the quality and yield is said to be on an average higher than that of either wheat or oats. At the same time price of barley is only 30 cents for the No 3, 28 for No 4, and 25 for feed, on date August 29 at local elevators, with probably two cents advantage by carload. This is lower than last year. The same elevators offered 38c, 32c, and 27c for the same grades at October 19 of last year.

There has therefore been a drop of 8 cents per bushel during the past ten months, whereas if the demand had been great, there should have been a rise as the grain was used.

At the same time as the barley growers are being offered 30c per bushel for barley, beer, of which barley is the principal constituent, is being sold here at a price higher than anywhere else on the Continent. There must be an enormous profit for the brewer under these conditions, 30c barley and 15c per glass beer. In the States 60c and 70c is sometimes paid for barley and beer retails at 5c per glass.

These remarks are prompted by an article that appeared in one of the Calgary dailies on Wednesday as a dispatch from Lethbridge, being an interview with P. H. Rice, a Winnipeg brewer, in which he predicted a price of from 50c to 60c for malting barley, and said there would be a demand for 40,000,000 bushels of Southern Alberta barley at that price.

Following is part of the dispatch in question:

Lethbridge, August 26.—"Farmers should see to it that the separators are not set too close in threshing their barley crop this year. The grains must not be broken. A small part of the beard should be left on the end of each grain, if possible. If it has been stacked and properly threshed, barley will bring ten cents premium over the usual price this fall."—P. H. Rice, of the Rice Malting Co., Winnipeg.

If Southern Alberta farmers were to raise 40,000,000 bushels of barley such as this part of the province is able to produce, it could, every bushel of it, be sold at a price ranging around 60c per bushel. The Bass and Guinness Brewing companies in England would take 20,000,000 bushels of it, while the rest could sell at a premium in Canada and the United States.

Such is the gist of a statement made by P. H. Rice, of the Rice Malting Co., Winnipeg, and Mr Rice is in Southern Alberta to buy as much as possible of the 1913 barley crop, so it is fairly certain he is not talking a 60c figure if he could circulate a statement which would knock the price of barley down. He bought Southern Alberta barley last year at 60c, but didn't get half enough for his Winnipeg plant. He is out for the best, and has come to Southern Alberta to get it.

But while Mr Rice is willing to pay a premium for barley for his Winnipeg plant, where he malts about 800,000 bushels annually, the farmers have to do their share to earn the premium price offered. They must produce the goods, and that is first class malting barley in perfect condition.

Harvesting well Advanced

Another week of excellent weather has passed, and almost every farmer has been busy making use of the daylight hours, and in some instances even of the night, to get the grain down. The weather has been dry, warm, and sunny, and just what was wanted.

As a result it may be estimated that by this time at least fifty per cent of the grain is in the stook, and that the balance is nearly all ready for cutting. Some farmers are almost through with their cutting, and will soon commence threshing. The first threshing reported in the district, as far as we have heard, will be Mr M. Willems, on the Dutch Colony, 8 miles north-east of town, who intends to start a machine on Monday on barley that was cut on August 6. It will be about ten days yet however before threshing will be general, as it would hardly pe worth while to start up the machine and crews for small patches of early cut grain.

Some farmers with large acreages are getting their grain down with the assistance of engine power, Mr Henry Sorensen, for instance has five binders on his caterpillar tractor, while he is operating two binders with horses. He claims to be cutting 160 acres per day. On this farm their are stretches where the engine can go two miles in a straight line through the grain-fields. Mr E. E. Green, of the Strathmore Farming Coy, who has over 2000 acres of fine grain, is also using both engine and horses and others who have tractors are doing likewise.

The grain is turning out very well generally, and promises a very good yield. The grade is going to be better than it has been for the past two years, owing to the absence of frost.

WEATHER REPORT
AUG. 22 TO AUG. 28, INCLUSIVE

	Max. Tem.	Min. Tem.	Precipitation
Friday	78.8	45.3	
Saturday	87.8	49.0	
Sunday	82.3	47.5	
Monday	77.5	50.5	
Tuesday	85.5	45.7	
Wednesday	75.3	42.0	
Thursday	82.0	50.0	

Readings taken at 8 a.m.

Reports supplied by Mr. C. A. Nickson.

Results of the alfalfa competition have not come to hand at the time of going to press.

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Wedding

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On Friday forenoon the marriage took place at the Sacred Heart Church Strathmore, by the Rev. Father Deman, of Mr Geo Fraser, employed with Strathmore Branch of the C.P.R. Irrigation Department, and Miss Lilian Barry, daughter of Mr and Mrs Thomas Barry. There was a large attendance at the wedding. In the afternoon tea was served at the home of the bride's parents, about 8 miles northwest of Strathmore, and in the evening an enjoyable and largely-attended dance was held in Hervey Schoolhouse

The many friends of the young couple wish them every success and happiness in the future

THE SUPREME COURT OF ALBERTA

1913—1914

Sittings of the Supreme Court of Alberta, en banc and for the trial of causes, Civil and Criminal, and for the hearing of motions and other civil business, will be held at the following times and places for 1913—1914. When the date set for the opening of a Court or Sitting is a holiday, such Court or Sitting shall commence on the day following such holiday:

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Dated at Edmonton, Alberta, this Second. day of July, 1913.

J. D. HUNT,
Inspector of Legal Offices.

Strathmore Railway Time Table

Taking effect June 1, 1913

TRAIN No. 61—MOOSEJAW-VANCOUVER
Going West, due 5.30

TRAIN No. 515—MEDICINE HAT LOCAL
Going West, due 11.20

TRAIN No. 3—VANCOUVER EXPRESS
Going West, due 17.05

TRAIN No. 62—VANCOUVER-MOOSEJAW
Going East, due 24.52

TRAIN No. 4—TORONTO EXPRESS
Going East, due 15.15

TRAIN No. 516—MEDICINE HAT LOCAL
Going East, due 17.10

515 and 516 do not run Sundays

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August 31. Cairnhill 11 a.m.
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At the Dutch Colony, first and third Sunday at 10.30.
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Sunday, Aug. 25, 7.30 p.m.
Sunday School meets every Sunday at 12 a.m. Supt., J. McNeil.
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SKANDINAVIAN
Skandinavian services in the Hervey Schoolhouse, northwest of town, on Sunday, Sept. 7, at 11 a.m.
The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Frank Jones, on Thursday, Sept. 25.
ARNT VAALER, Pastor.

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Sunday Services Aug. 31
Strathmore Services at 11 a.m., Childrens' Service—Thoughts suggested from the boyhood of Jesus. 7.30 p.m. subject, Faith. Each service conducted by the pastor. Sunday School immediately after the morning service.
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Successful Alfalfa Grower

On Tuesday afternoon, at the invitation of Mr. R. S. Stockton, Supt. of Irrigation, Strathmore, a number of local people motored out to what is considered one of the best stands of alfalfa in this district, on the farm of Mr. M. Willems, one of the members of the Dutch Colony, about eight miles north-east of Strathmore. There are 27 acres of alfalfa in this field—two sown in 1911, ten in 1912 and fifteen this year. They are all in the very best of condition. The 1911 and 1912 fields were cut in June, and yielded twenty-three tons of splendid alfalfa hay, or almost two tons to the acre This crop is now ready for its second cutting, which Mr Willems stated would start the following day

It stands over two feet high, and is very thick, and the second cutting from all appearances, will be as heavy, if not heavier than the first. The crop sown this year is making fine progress, and it is coming up thick and evenly. Mr Willems irrigates his crop twice every year. He has no doubts on the beneficial use of the water, as some farmers profess to have, and though he has not been long enough in the country to acquire a thorough knowledge of the English language, he stated to the party yesterday, "Can't have too much water. Makes big crops. Much money." At the same time Mr Stockton pointed out that it was hardly correct to say that it was impossible to use too much water, as an overdose of water would not do the crops any good, the quantity is was safe to use depending upon the character of the land and the drainage.

The alfalfa seed used for this crop came from Montana, where the hardiest varieties are obtained. Mr Willems stated that part of his crop was sown on the land formerly in potatoes, and he said that the alfalfa had almost eradicated the weeds on the field.

The crop Mr Willems has looks to be good for a number of years yet, and it has the advantage that instead of taking anything from the soil it adds to its fertility, and if he at any time puts another crop in there he is almost sure of a yield larger than could be obtained even on virgin soil.

Where alfalfa is being largely cultivated, as in the Lethbridge district, a price of $15 per ton is being paid for it, and Mr Willems, will therefor make sixty dollars an acre on his crop if he can sell it at that price, while if he feeds it to his stock he will even do better than that,

There are a number of fields throughout the western section of the Bow Valley that are at least equal to Mr Willems, and while there are some where the results have not been good, yet the results attained by various farmers throughout the district in the last three years since alfalfa has been introduced show that it can be grown successfully, especially by the use of irrigation. Professor Fairfield, Superintendent of the Dominion Experimental Farm at Lethbridge, while here last week, said that there could be no more doubt as to the advantages of irrigation for alfalfa and similar crops.

All over Mr Willems farm are evidences that good farming pays, his other crops being excellent. He has a field of barley that he cut on August 6, which he intends to start threshing on Monday.

Irrigation Interview Monday

According to advices received locally, Dr W. J. Roche, Minister of the Interior, will meet the committee of the Farmers' Unions in the Bow Valley Irrigated Block at Calgary on Monday forenoon, when their side of the dispute on the classification of irrigable land will be heard

The minister will then visit some of the irrigated lands in the vicinity of Gleichen

A meeting with Strathmore Town Council re tax exemptions is also being arranged for Monday

The latest addition to the Bank of Commerce staff is Mr J. W. McFarland, from Scotland.

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Some Advantages of Alfalfa

In an address delivered at the recent Western Canada Irrigation Convention Professor W. H. Fairfield, Superintendent of the Dominion Experimental Farm at Lethbridge, delivered an address on alfalfa growing, which is especially interesting in view of the interest that is evinced in this district in its cultivation, and the competition in the Bow Valley which was last week judged by Professor Fairfield.

The following forms part of Professor Fairfield's address:

Alberta is the premier, so far as the prairie provinces are concerned, in the growing of alfalfa. It is so generally grown in the extreme southern portion of the province that the experimental stage has been passed, but further north it is being tested quite generally and it is gratifying to know that in the majority of cases the farmers are meeting with success. What failures are met with are usually due to lack of inoculation or to the use of strains of seed not sufficiently hardy. Although the common strains or so called varieties, all seem to be hardy in the Lethbridge district, this does not appear to be the case in the other parts of the province. At the Dominion Experimental Farm at Lacombe serious winter killing has been experienced, except with the Grimm and Turkestan varieties. Failures in certain parts of the province to get the crop to live through the winter has doubtless been due to the fact that the seed used has come from the warmer parts of the United States where hardy strains have not predominated. I believe that most of the failures that have been met within the Gleichen and Strathmore districts have been due to this fact, for I have visited fields of alfalfa in these districts that are two and three years old that were in as vigorous and thrifty condition as one would desire. I firmly believe that it is only a matter of time till this king of forage crops will be grown quite generally in practically all of the present settled parts of these prairie provinces.

Where it will always grown with the greatest profit, will, I believe, be in the irrigated districts of Alberta and Saskatchewan. Here it is destined to become the leading factor in our crop rotations. It will not only produce more pounds of the most desirable food for all kinds of growing stock and milch, but it adds nitrogen and humus to the soil enriches it in these essentials to a wonderful degree. A ton of well cured alfalfa hay has about the same feeding value as a ton of bran. So high regard that the dairyman have for this hay is so well known that it scarcely needs mentioning. For feeding and fattening cattle and sheep it has few peers. In a lamb feeding test at the Lethbridge Experimental Farm a year ago we found that we obtained about twenty dollars a ton for the alfalfa hay fed. In a similar experiment carried on with lambs this past winter we obtained nearly as much. As a pasture for pigs it is hard to equal. Brood sows relish the hay in the winter time. As a poultry feed it commands a high price when chopped and ground into meal. But why take up your time in cataloging the many virtues of this wonderful forage plant which are doubtless well known to all.

The Lethbridge district has the distinction of being the first locality in prairie provinces to grow alfalfa commercially. The first fields to be grown successfully were sown twelve years ago. From the beginning of a few acres the area devoted to this crop has increased by several hundred acres every year. This acreage is practically all on irrigated land. It will grow on dry land, but the tonnage is increased so materially by irrigation that we look on it as essentially an irrigated crop. It is peculiarly well adapted for growing under irrigation, for if the water is not applied just when it should be the crop is not damaged, the only loss is the loss of growth up to the time of irrigation. This is the case with few other crops for with most grasses or with grain crops, etc., if they suffer from drouth at the critical period in their early development the crop for that season is seriously affected. During the hottest months of the year, July and August, which are usually the driest, we get the greatest growth by being able to supply the necessary moisture during the period of rapid growth.

As previously intimated alfalfa is going to play a important part in the rotation of crops raised on irrigated land in Alberta and Saskatchewan. In most countries, a leguminous crop such as clover is grown at certain intervals, to enrich the land and so make it more profitable to raise other crops. In the case of alfalfa, however, it being such a valuable as well as profitable crop, the arrangements of the different crops will be changed and it will itself be the main crop grown. The great advantage gained will be that the land will be continuously enriched by nitrates and humus. Nature has been generous and supplied the prairie soils, and the subsoils, too, with a bountiful supply of all the mineral constituents that plants require. Consequently it will be possible to keep on raising alfalfa probably indefinitely as far as the soil is concerned. I believe that within a short time 60 to 70 per cent of the land under irrigation in this district will be growing alfalfa. Other crops will still be grown, but by rotating them with alfalfa the yields will be increased 50 to 100 per cent. In support of this statement I might say that on the Lethbridge Experimental Farm last year we had potatoes planted on alfalfa sod that yielded 757 bushels per acre, and spring wheat that followed the potato crop yielding 59 bushels to the acre. It will be possible to double our yields of sugar beets. In fact alfalfa is going to be the basis, directly and indirectly, on which the development and wealth of the irrigated sections of Southern Alberta are going to be built, and of course, the same is true of Southwestern Saskatchewan

The weed problem, which is such a serious menace just now in this district, and which is causing the farmers so much inconvenience becomes insignificant when Alfalfa appears for the growing of this crop on irrigated land is a panacea for all such troubles, as none of the ordinary weeds can live in an alfalfa field that is being cut twice or thrice during the growing season. In regard to the yield of alfalfa that we get here I might say that on the experimental station farm we have during the last five years since the farm was established, averaged between five and six tons per acre of field cured hay each season on land that has been carefully irrigated. We cut either two or three times each year. There is not much difference in the total yield between the two or the three cuttings. If, however, the hay is cut three times instead of twice a little better quality for cows and sheep is obtained. It is less apt to be woody and is more palatable. The usual practice is to irrigate for each cutting, that is just after the hay is taken off. Fall irrigation, just before the water is turned out of the ditch, has been found particularly advantageous for with it it is generally possible to make the first crop without applying any water.

We sometimes have difficulty in getting the first cutting cured, as it is made in the latter part of June which is often a rainy season with us. It is just possible that with the development of the district we may in time use silos in which to store our first cutting when we have to make it during inclement weather.

This naturally leads up to the question of stock. With the great increase in acreage of alfalfa that we confidently expect, it will be necessary to have stock to continue it. Doubtless more or less breeding stock will be kept on irrigated farms, and each winter these will be supplemented by range stock. We hope that the foothills and mountains immediately to the west of us will be able to graze a large number during the summer time and thus increase the supply.

As successful farming under irrigation means intensive farming, and as intensive farming means increased yields, it naturally follows that we shall be able to maintain more stock per acre than will be the case in any other parts of the province where they have not had the advantage of irrigation. I firmly believe that the irrigated districts in this part of the country will eventually be the heaviest feeding grounds in Western Canada.

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Then he went to a Russian frontier post and presented the document to the official as his warrant to pass. The official could read but little in Russian and knew no Roumanian, but the big document, with the coat of arms and seal, greatly impressed him, and he cheerfully put the Roumanian official stamp on it.

His investigations ended, the Prince went back to Moscow, and at the first opportunity presented the passport to the governor, saying:

"With this document I entered Russia, and traveled about for five months yet you must admit that the description of me is scarcely correct or flattering."

The amazed governor read that the Prince was one black eye, full grown, with one ear partly torn away.

Circumstances, Etc

Mrs. Brown—Is this hotel on the European plan?

Mr. Brown (in preoccupied tones from behind his paper)—Yes, my dear.

Mrs. B.—I'm not feeling hungry this morning. I think I'll merely take some coffee and rolls.

Mr. B. (laying aside paper)—What were you asking me, my dear? On the European plan? No, it is not.

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She (delightedly)—How kind and thoughtful you are! Will you introduce him to me?

I am sending you some manuscript, wrote the budding authoress. I also inclose a letter of introduction from the vicar, one from my teacher, and a paragraph from our local paper, telling of my adoption of a literary career. Is there anything else I might send you to interest you in my writings?

Dear Madam, wrote the perspiring editor in reply, you need send me but one thing—a good short story.

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ALFALFA-GROWING IN WESTERN CANADA

By W. H. Fairfield, Superintendent of the Dominion Experimental Farm, Lethbridge, Before the Seventh Annual Convention of the Western Canada Irrigation Association at Lethbridge on Tuesday, August 5th.

Alfalfa growing and irrigation go hand in hand in Western America. Without question the success or failure of the irrigation projects in the western states to the south of us depends largely on the fact that alfalfa grows so luxurious when water is applied and if it did not thrive as it does the agricultural possibilities of the projects referred to would be seriously curtailed.

Alfalfa was originally a subtropical plant, and has grown and is highly prized as a fodder plant in the vicinity of the Mediterranean for several centuries before the beginning of the Christian era. The Spaniards introduced it to Mexico and South America and from there it was carried north into California, thence east into Utah, and from there its spread clear to the Atlantic was rapid. It is now said to be grown in every province in Canada and in every state in the United States, though in some cases its culture is limited to small areas. Its range of adaptability is wonderful, for from even as far north as Fort Vermilion, the last report states that it is doing well. Although it will grow under such a wide diversity of conditions in regard to climate and soil still it is in irrigation that this wonderful forage plant earns its greatest popularity.

In regard to what is being done with this crop in the Canadian northwest, I may say that it is being grown in limited areas quite generally in various parts of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba. Professor S. A. Bedford, deputy minister of agriculture of Manitoba, in a recent letter, wrote me:

"The area of this legume is increasing very rapidly each year, and it is now possible to find fields of from 10 to 30 acres in different parts of the province. This government has about 20 different plots of one or two acres each in different parts of the province, from altitudes of 1000 to 2500 feet above sea level, and so far we have almost without exception proved successful. The only failures are attributed to insufficient drainage in one or two portions of the Red River valley."

In Saskatchewan fields and plots of alfalfa may be found in many localities, from Prince Albert north to the boundary, although previous to 1904 it was almost unknown in that province. The Saskatchewan government is giving the growing of alfalfa a great impetus by offering several prizes totalling $6,000 for the best ten acre fields, to be judged in 1914. The exploitation of this crop with all the necessary attendant publicity, is doing a great deal in helping it to induce farmers to begin the growing of this forage crop.

Alberta is the pride, so far as the prairie provinces are concerned, in the growing of alfalfa, and it is generally grown in the extreme southern portion of the province that the experimental station has conducted, but further north it is being tested quite generally and it is gratifying to know that in the majority of cases the farmers are meeting with success.

Where failures are noted it is usually due to lack of inoculator, or to the use of strains of seed not sufficiently hardy. Although some common strains, or so-called varieties all grown in the south of this province district, this does not appear to be the case in the other parts of the province. At the Dominion Experimental Farm at Lacombe, serious winter killing has been experienced, except with the Grimm and Turkestan varieties. Failures in certain parts of the province to get stands to live through the winter has doubtless been due to the fact that the seed used has come from some of the warmer parts of the United States where they are winter hardy and acclimated. I believe that most of the failures in the Peace River and in the Gleichen and Strathmore districts have been due to this fact, for I have used seeds of all in these districts that are two and three years old but were in no instance had thrifty condition as one would desire. I firmly believe that it is only a matter of time till the best of forage crops will be grown quite generally in the northern and more thickly settled parts of these prairie provinces.

Where it will be always grown with the greatest profit, will, I believe, be in the irrigated districts of Alberta and Saskatchewan. Here it is destined to become the leading factor in our crop rotations. It will not only produce more pounds of the most desirable food for all kinds of stock, but will enrich and mulch now, but it adds nitrogen and humus to the soil enriching it in these essentials in a wonderful degree. A ton of well cured alfalfa hay has about the same value as a ton of bran. The high regard that dairymen have for this hay is so well known that for scarcely need mentioning. For feeding and fattening cattle and sheep it has few peers. In a lamb feeding test at the Lethbridge Experimental Farm a year ago we found that we obtained about twenty dollars a ton for the alfalfa hay feed. In a similar experiment carried on with lambs this past winter we obtained nearly as much. As a pasture for pigs it is hard to equal. Brood sows relish the hay in the winter time. As a poultry feed it commands a high price when chopped and ground into meal. But why take up your time in cataloging the many virtues of this wonderful forage plant which are doubtless well known to all.

The Lethbridge districts has the distinction of being the first locality in the prairie provinces to grow alfalfa commercially. The first fields to be grown successfully were sown twelve years ago. From the small beginning of a few acres the area devoted to this crop has increased by several hundred acres every year. This acreage is practically all on irrigated land. It will grow on dry land but the tonnage is increased so materially by irrigation that we look on it as essentially an irrigated crop. It is peculiarly well adapted for growing under irrigation, for if the water is not applied just when it should be the crop is not damaged, the only loss is the loss of growth up to the time of irrigation. This is the case with few other crops, for with most grasses or with grain crops, etc., if they suffer from drouth at the critical period in their early development the crop for that season is seriously affected. During the hottest months of the year, July and August, which are usually the driest, to get the greatest growth by being able to supply the necessary moisture during the period of rapid growth.

As previously intimated alfalfa is going to play a very important part in the rotation of crops raised on irrigated land in Alberta and Saskatchewan. In most countries, a leguminous crop such as clover, is grown at certain intervals, to enrich the land and so make it more profitable to raise other crops. In the case of alfalfa, however, it being such a valuable as well as profitable crop, the arrangements for the different crops will be changed and it will itself be the main crop grown. The great advantage gained will be that the land will be continuously enriched by nitrates introduced into us.

Nature has been generous and has supplied the prairie soils, and the subsoils, too, with a bountiful supply of all the mineral constituents that plants require. Consequently it will be possible to keep on raising alfalfa probably indefinitely as far as the soil is practicable, on the same ground. The

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The lingerie frock, especially in its infinite variety of today, gives a wide field of prices, fabrics and styles. It is a type of dress that is indispensable for summer. It is here to stay.

White embroidery is used on the ecru batiste robe which has been bought already decorated. The skirt ends in a hem and a deep tuck. The bodice has half-length sleeves and a bolero line, suggested by the application of the bands of embroidery above the girdle. This is of black satin and can be made adjustable, the color being changed. The vest effect on the bodice has small turned-back revers, and a satin collar to match the girdle finishes the back.

Crepe in heavily embroidered pattern is durable, and for a dressy type is attractively new. The front of the bodice of the model shown is a shield of embroidery laid over the plain foundation. A long panel forms the central part of the overskirt, which is cut in scallops from this point around to the back panel. A plain hem is added to the embroidered edge on the skirt—an excellent way to make a pattern longer. The girdle is very narrow. Set-in sleeves have subcuffs of lace, and a double frill extends from the collar line to the crossed sections of embroidered material.

The introduction of satin or silk in the lingerie frock is an expression of the vogue of bright colorings. It is of cherry-red satin on the white marquisette model. A vest of filet lace has on each side an embroidered medallion set in with insertion. Sleeves have pointed set-in panels and subcuffs of filet. The skirt shows a long front panel trimmed with crocheted buttons. Revers and a girdle of satin give the finishing touch to this attractive frock.

A new material that looks like soft madras is now used for the favorite dress for afternoons. Here it stands in a cotton expression of brocaded beauty. The top of the bodice is of tucked net, with a bolero of heavy embroidery hanging over the colored satin girdle. Subcuffs of tucked net are trimmed with buttons. Lace further beautifies the bodice. The skirt is draped at the sides, but otherwise plain, except for a row of buttons and cord loops over lace, extending from the bolero to the hem.

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Keoma Rural Municipality Meeting

WEED INSPECTOR DISMISSED

We have received two reports of the meeting of Keoma Rural Municipality held on Monday, 19th inst., both of which were received too late for publication in last issue. The first is the official report, being a summary of the minutes, submitted by the secretary, Mr D. W. Powers We also have a report from Mr W. E. Mercer father of Mr J. W. Mercer, Weed Inspector, who was at that meeting asked to hand in his resignation. We publish that part of his report dealing with his son's case following the official report, which is as follows:

Regular meeting of Council of Rural Municipality Keoma No 249 was held at the Municipal Office on the 18th day of Aug 1913, the following members being present: Chas. Thomson, Reeve, Chas. Dawson snd H. Sorensen.

Minutes of previous meeting read and on motion of H. Sorensen approved as read.

Council convened as Court of Revision and the different appeals were taken up and the appellants present were allowed to present their arguments, and after due consideration the action of the assessors was sustained, and all assessments allowed to stand.

GOVT. ASKS FOR AID

Communication from Mr Calder, Inspector of Roads, asking for financial aid in building a road between Sec 1 and 36 and 2 and 35 between Tp 27 and 28 Ry 24, was read and the following resolution adopted with reference thereto. Moved by H. Sorensen: that this Municipality cannot consider the assancement mentioned, as it lies out side our territory, but we should very much like to know when the road in Nightingale and its vicinity will commenced which Mr McArthur promised was going to be done this year.

DEFECTIVE INSPECTION

The matter of Weed Inspector was tak n up, and his report examined, which proved in a great many instances to be incorrect. For instance several sections of land lying in one body were reported as being unbroke, besides a number of farms lying in different parts of the municipality were also reported as unbroken, when, as a matter of fact, all these lands were under cultivation with houses and barns on them, it being evident from this that no personal examination had been made of these premises, also a large part of the municipality had not been visited, and a number of the farms are in a bad condition. In view of these facts and the evidently careless manner in which the work had being done, it was moved by H. Sorensen and carried that Mr. J. W. Mercer, weed inspector, be asked to hand in his resignation and a new weed inspector be appointed, and the secretary instructed to notify Mr. Mercer to that effect.

The secretary was also instructed to write to the Minister of Municipal Affairs informing him that the weed inspector had been asked to resign, at the same time notifying him of the facts as stated before in regard to the careless manner in which the work has been done.

It was also moved by H. Sorensen that the secretary be instructed to write to each holder of land which Mr. Mercer reported as being inspected, asking the owners if and to what extent Mr. Mercer had inspected their lands, and that no decision be taken in regard to the matter of payments to Mr. Mercer until such time as the Council has had time to consider the matter. Carried.

SCHOOL RATES

In the matter of School Pistricts the following rates were levied and advances authorized:

	Rate Mills	Advance
Hervey No. 2185	10	$200
Servicebery No. 2258	5	100
Bertha Vale No. 2331	10	100
Bryn Maur No. 2326	10	200
Greenfield No. 2683	7	
Akenstad No. 1995	7	100
Nightingale No. 2484	7	250

Moved by H. Sorensen that the Secretary be instructed to inform the different school districts the sums advanced are to be used to pay outstanding accounts and notes, and to be repaid to the Municipality out of the first taxes collected. The balance of the requisitions to be paid as the balance of the taxes are collected.

Moved by H. Sorensen that the following accounts be passed and authorized paid:

	Account No.	
C. O. Dawson	35	$23.00
J. W. Mercer	36	.98
D. W. Powers	37	3.80
Western Municipal News	38	2.50
McCulloch Hdw. Co.	39	3.00

The following pay lists for road work were taken up and examined, and on motion of H. Sorensen were authorised paid, taxes owing by the different parties named to be deducted:

Pay List No.	Foreman	
1	W. A. Smith	$228 75
2	C. P. Johnson	12 50
3	C. A. Hamaker	18 00
4	"	25 50
5	"	26 50
6	"	32 50
7	"	9 50
8	"	3.00
9	"	4 50
10	"	9 50
11	"	14 25
12	"	53 50
13	"	55.00
14	"	9 50
15	"	53 50
16	"	34 50
17	"	9 50
18	"	26 50
19	"	78 50

On motion meeting adjourned.
D. W. POWERS, Sec.

ANOTHER REPORT

Following is part of Mr. W. E. Mercer's report:

"Reports of the Weed Inspector were read and the card system which he had inaugurated was checked up, when it was found that the report on some six sections which were marked unbroken five of these sections were under cultivation and half of the other. Also the land upon which the office stood was marked unbroken when a large quantity was under cultivated.

Dawson said it would probably be a mistake of township number. The fact of the inspector knowing the land so well pointed to that.

Sorensen took the matter up very strongly and said it was very unsatisfactory, and moved that the Sec, write asking for the Inspector's resignation. Reeve Thompson seconded it. Being put to the vote it was declared carried by the votes of the mover and seconder.

W. E. Mercer being present addressing the Reeve, said he knew that he had no power to speak or to insist upon it, but asked as a courtesy for the minutes referring to the weed inspector be read. The reeve granted the request which stated "that J. W. Mercer be appointed weed inspector at a salary of $100 a month for himself and horse, such appointment to date from June 1st to December 1st, 1913." Mr. Mercer said that before he came he was aware that Mr. Sorensen was determined to find some means of carrying this object into execution and the reason of his presence was to see what method Sorensen would adopt and he thought the way was a very arbitary one, it being the usual custom to give every individual at least a chance to correct an error, that no one was infallible, but that the present case had been dealt with in a very arbitrary manner.

Mr. Sorensen said that judging from the remarks just made it was possible the Council might have litigation and he instructed the secretary to write to the Commissioner of Works to the effect that owing to the reports of the weed inspector being very unsatisfactory he be asked to resign. Sorensen then instructed the sec, to write to all the people on whose land the inspector had reported he had been, requesting them to report to the council particulars of the inspector's visit or visits. Pending such replies no cheque to be issued to the inspector for salary due.

W. E. MERCER

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" 2 "	.68
" 3 "	.62
Barley—No. 3	.30
No. 4 "	.28
Feed	.25
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" 1 "	.214
" 2 "	.193
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